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TO: District Superintendents
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FROM: Tom Collins, Standards Team Supervisor
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DATE: December 22, 2010

SUBJECT: Common Core State Standards/Paws Crosswalk



ANNOUNCEMENT

The Wyoming Department of Education (WDE) would like to inform districts about a current posting of crosswalk documents for grades K-8 and high school. The knowledge and skills defined in the 2008 Wyoming Content and Performance Standards and the PAWS Assessment Descriptors were compared with the knowledge and skills specified in the Common Core English Language Arts Standards. Some were found at the same grade level, some were found in lower grade levels, some were found at higher grade levels and some were not found at all.

The Reading crosswalk documents are completed and can be found on the following Webpage <http://www.k12.wy.us/SA/standards.asp> under the heading **Crosswalk**. Please read the introductions carefully before you use the documents.

If you have any questions regarding the use or need further explanation of the English Language Arts crosswalk, please contact Erin Buchanan at ebucha@educ.state.wy.us or call (307)721-1903.

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